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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/675,283  
Applicant(s) : Stephen Allen Goldman et al.  
Filed : September 30, 2003  
Title : Polymerized Hydrogel Adhesives With Low Levels Of  
Monomer Units In Salt Form  
TC/A.U. : 1713  
Examiner : Wu, Ives J.  
Conf. No. : 5474  
Docket No. : CM2653CL  
Customer No. : 27752

AMENDMENT AFTER 1<sup>ST</sup> OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.111(c)

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Office Action of July 19, 2005, the time for response being extended by one month, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows, consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Attached hereto is a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time, and the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(a), providing for a timely response up to and including November 21, 2005 (November 19, 2005 falls on a Saturday).

*Listing of the Claims* begin on page 2 of this paper.

*Remarks* begin on page 5 of this paper.